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TELEGRAPHIC

Further Agitation Among Russian Students.

The Ameer had Declared a Holy War.

An ex-Congressman Frozen to Death.

Work Laid Out for the Yellow Fever Commission.

War Continued on Tennessee Moonshiners.

Several Destructive Fires are Reported.

Commercial and Monetary.

GENERAL NEWS.

Crime

CHICAGO, Dec 26—The trial of Mrs. Malinda Mack indicted, with her hired man, Frank Dickerson, for the murder of her husband closed this morning with a verdict of guilty, with the extreme penalty of the law—state prison for life for the woman Dickerson will be tried later. He turned state's evidence during the trial and testified that Mrs. Mack [illegible] killed h[illegible] husband with a stick of wood and [illegible] aded him to help carry the body to the barn, where they placed it under the feet of a horse, and the animal kicked over it several times to give it the appearance of being kicked to death He also swore that improper relations had existed between himself and Mrs. Mack for several months The case caused much excitement

Two young men named McFallen and Scott quarrelled at Marceline, near Quincy, Christmas, while attending a Christmas festival, when McFallen drew a pistol and shot Scott through the heart He has not been captured

Chas L. O[illegible] cashier at P[illegible], Illinois [illegible] ported to the p[illegible] [illegible]

St Louis, Dec [illegible]—The counsel for H D Rademeyer who was convicted a few days ago of the murder of Franz Vazz an old German, last June moved the court to lay for a new trial, which was refused, and Judge Laughlin sentenced the prisoner to be hanged the 14 h of February next

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26—A Victoria, British Columbia dispatch says that on the 13th of December John Boyd killed in a cowardly manner Thomas O Brien at Fort Wrangel, Alaska. The citizens tried him by a jury of his own selection, found him guilty and hung him the next day.

Yellow Fever Co[illegible]

MEMPHIS, Dec 26—The following members of the national yellow fever and cholera commission have arrived Senators Isham G. Harris, Stanley Matthews Congressman Casey Young, Surgeon General John M Woodworth, Drs S M Bemis, Jerome Cochran, Jacob M. Masher, Stanford E Chaille, R W Mitchell, N. S Craft, R M Swearengen W H Radfe, I A Talligant, and Col T S Hardee The congressional committee effected an organization and adopted the following

MEMPHIS, Dec 26—Dr John M Woodworth, surgeon general of the marine hospital service, having by resolution of the joint committee of the senate and house of representatives appointed to investigate the causes and methods of preventing yellow fever and cholera, been constituted president ex officio of the board of experts provided for by the resolution of congress, he will proceed to organize the same and direct them to investigate the following points of inquiry

First, Origin and cause of the destructive features of yellow fever and cholera whether or not they are indigenous to any part of the United States, if not, how they are brought to this country, and the localities from whence they came, and if found to be indigenous and also imported, in what proportion and to what extent has their presence in the United States been owing to importation

Second The seasons of the year and atmospheric conditions in which they are propagated

Third, Means to be adopted by which their introduction in this country from other localities may be prevented

Fourth, The method of preventing their propagation and spread when introduced into any part of the United States.

Fifth, Number of deaths that have occurred in the United States during the present year, expenditures of money, and injury to business resulting therefrom

The foregoing order is of the committee in joint session, and experts will confine themselves to it as near as possible

[Signed] I G HARRIS, Chairman
STANLEY MATTHEWS, Chairman
CASEY YOUNG, Chairman

Courts Investigation

SANTE FE, N. M, Dec 26—The statement in the Denver Tribune of the 24th, copied from the Chicago Times charging Capt Th[illegible] who recently married the widow of Gen Gordon Granger, with having [illegible] in Scott [illegible] retched h[illegible] Capt B[illegible] court [illegible] investigation of the matter and [illegible] leave of absence [illegible] to Washington where he has no [illegible] able to make a full and satisfactory explanation and fully vindicate himself

Frozen to Death

PHILADELPHIA, Dec 26—Ex Congressman Owen Jones started from his residence at Winnemook last night to visit a neighbor and was found before midnight frozen to death by the roadside Deceased represented the 5th Pennsylvania district in the 35th congress

Pedestrian Match

NEW YORK, Dec 26—There seems to be no chance for Campana to make 450 miles in the six days walk and it looks as if even O'Leary would not make much over the figure Campana finished his 260th mile at 9 30 His trainer says he will come on the track at 10 to-morrow and walk O Leary is 25 miles ahead

Whisky Raid

NASHVILLE, TENN, Dec 26—Latest reports from the revenue raid in Fentress county is to the effect that forty six illicit distillers have been arrested and bound over to the U S circuit court, and fourteen illicit concerns, valued at $6,000, destroyed

The Kentucky Disturbance

LOUISVILLE Dec 26—The Courier Journal's special from Camp Taylor, in Breathitt county dated the 23d says Judge Randall has opened court Three of the Littels were arrested also Alfred Gambrel whose imprisonment is designed to quiet things The arrests were made by the state guards, and more will follow

Typos in Trouble

NEW YORK Dec 26—There is trouble in the New York World office with the compositors They heard this afternoon that a reduction in wages or substitution of new and non union men was contemplated, and a committee waited on Mr. Hurlbut, but got no definite answer At 10 to-night all compositors were discharged peremptorily by the publishers, and a batch of new hands marched into the composing room A strong force of police was on hand and no trouble occurred The old hands left in a body Much excitement [illegible] The World doorway is guarded and the stairway lined with police Typographical U[illegible] No. 6 will act on the matter to-morrow

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CHICAGO, Dec. 26. The managers of the Fidelity safety deposit vaults were alarmed this evening by the unusual absence of Geo. A Blakie, assistant custodian, who for some years has been the only man possessing the combination of the special deposit branch of the [illegible] to a late hour to-night he has not [illegible] found and suspicions which however [illegible] foundation, are entertained that he [illegible] violated his trust [illegible] absconded [illegible] amount of property in the special vault is [illegible] matter of speculation, it may have been very large or very insignificant

Blakie was found by bank police on west side to-night and confessed that under financial pressure he had abstracted a package of $1,000, intending to return it The vault was opened and the contents with this exception were intact.

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ST JOE, MO., Dec. 26 Much feeling is felt in this city over closing the bank of [illegible] of our best citizen's house some days ago by the U S marshal, levied on to pay d[illegible] C B Wilkinson, and it continues to be the subject of comment. The marshal levied also on the Gazette, recently purchased by Wilkinson, and lawyers say the sale of the Gazette will be valid, and it will bring enough to pay [illegible] amount stolen from the government and save innocent securities, but Wilkinson, Burns and friends are making desperate efforts to get the officers to release the Gazette, and while confidence is felt in them some anxiety is felt lest influences should be used that are not contemplated in the law Many think Wilkinson purchased the Gazette with money saved for him by Burns out of his whisky ring wreck, as it was said when Wilkinson ran away that he had turned over property and $14,000 to Burns

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Six of the most valuable business houses at Gardner, Ill, burned yesterday, probably through the efforts of an incendiary Loss $75,000

The third annual meeting of the Northwestern Traveling Men's Association began at Chicago yesterday with a full attendance The reports show that the organization is flourishing and has done good work in the past year

Rev Leonard Woods, of Boston, at one time president of Bowdoin college and author of many volumes, is dead

Three engines and a snow plow ran off the track on the New York and Oswego Midland railroad, near Fulton yesterday, and killed two employes

The eastern mails arrived in Chicago on time yesterday morning, the first time this week.

Back water flooded the suburbs of Fulton, N Y yesterday A hundred families will be obliged to vacate their houses. Gas works and lumber factories are submerged.

Bierhoff & Livingston, wholesale dealers in dry goods, 44 Lespenard street, New York, made an assignment to day to Mayor Neymour, without preferences. Liabilities, $20,000; assets large, and it is thought the firm will ask an extension and resume business

The repair shops of the N. Y & Oswego Midland Railroad, at Middleton, N Y burned last night with two locomotives, a large amount of lumber and machinery and tools Loss $35 000

Peter McNamara, a well known resident of Washington, died yesterday afternoon, his death being the result of poison in the system from the bite of a man named Dandler, with whom he had an altercation over two months a[illegible]

An engine on the Lehigh Valley road, while [illegible] a curve near Hazleton, Pa, yesterday [illegible] ped the track and killed the fireman and [illegible] akeman and badly scalding the engineer [illegible] a trackman

The court house of DeKalb county, Missouri, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. The records of the county, clerk of the probate court sheriff, and also the tax books of 1878 were lost by the fire

The weather at Santa Fe has been unusually cold for the past ten days, the thermometer marking below zero

The loss by the fire of the wholesale hat store of S Lockwood & Co, at St Joe, on Wednesday is estimated at $25 000 Covered by insurance

FOREIGN NOTES

Thirty steamers have been chartered at Odessa to convey home a portion of the Russian army of occupation

Macedonia insurgents are rallying, men and resources being supplied them from Bulgaria

In consequence of threatening agitation among Tartars of the Kezar battalion, it has been sent home

Further agitation has occurred among students at Kieff and Moscow, but it was promptly suppressed Most of the students arrested at St Petersburg have been released.

The supreme court of justice in Spain has finally condemned to death Moncasi, who attempted to assassinate the king

A marriage has been arranged between the infanta Eulalia sister to the King of Spain, and Prince de Joinville's eldest son

Robbers attacked the train from the City of Mexico for Vera Cruz near Pueblo, the 14th, killed the baggage master wounded the conductor and escaped with $27,000 in silver

The Earl of Carnarvon was married yesterday at Greystoke, Cumberland to Miss Howard of Greystoke castle

A correspondent at Kuram says a proclamation of the ameer of Afghanistan has been discovered dated November 11 It shows that he [illegible] declared a holy war against the British.

A correspondent at Kuram says an Afghan [illegible] in the British service was hanged for firing to warn his country[illegible] of the advance into Peiwar, [illegible] Eighteen others were sentenced to terms of seven to fourteen years servitude for [illegible]

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The [illegible] tary of the [illegible] yesterday [illegible] all the silver bullion he [illegible] at prices [illegible] Le don quotations

Commercial and Monetary.

(By Telegraph)

New York Dec 26.

Gold par
Carrying Rate [illegible]
Borrowing Rate—flat and [illegible]
Governments dull and weaker
[illegible] higher
Railroad Bonds—firm
[illegible]
Money—Active, [illegible]
Prime M[illegible] paper [illegible]
Cust[illegible] $1,386 000
[illegible]
Clear[illegible] $6,[illegible]
[illegible]

THE STOCK MARKET

C[illegible]	119½	N[illegible]	114@106¾
Coup[illegible]	103¾	New [illegible]	[illegible]
C[illegible]	105¾	New [illegible]	[illegible]
C[illegible]	12½	10 [illegible]	108
N[illegible]	119¾	11 [illegible]	[illegible]
New [illegible]	119¾	C[illegible]	119¾

W U T[illegible]	91¾	N J C	31¾
[illegible]	11	[illegible]	100
[illegible]	32	St [illegible]	34¾
[illegible]	13¾	St Paul pref	73¾
M[illegible]	3¾	T W & W	90¾
M[illegible] pref	3¾	T W & W pref	99¾
[illegible]	105¾	Fort Wayne	103¾
Pan[illegible]	98¾	Fort Wayne pref	[illegible]
A[illegible]	46¾	T[illegible]	9
U S [illegible]	46	Terre Haute, pref	6
N Y C	110¾	C[illegible] & A	78¾
Erie	60¾	C & A pref	100
Erie, pref	30	C[illegible]	73¾
Harl	140	Del & L[illegible]	40
Harlem pref	30	A & P Tel	68¾
Mich[illegible] C	71¾	M[illegible] Pacific	11½
P[illegible]	100	A & P pref	29
Un[illegible] Pacific	66¾	Ind[illegible] Central	78¾
Lake Shore	69¾	C B & Q	108
I C	78	H & St Jo	34
C & P	80¾	C P Bonds	106¾
N[illegible]	48¾	U P bonds	109
N[illegible] pref	73¾	U P Land Grant	100
C C C & I	33¾	U P [illegible]	108

STATE

M[illegible]	96¾	Vir[illegible]	25
T[illegible]	30¾	Vir[illegible]	25
T[illegible]	35¾		

ST LOUIS PRODUCE MARKET

St Louis, Dec 26

FLOUR—firm for b[illegible] grade but unchanged
WHEAT—Lower No 2 red 90 to 91¾ cash, 91 to 89¾ Dec 89 to 90¾ Jan, 92¾ to [illegible] Feb No 3 do 89 cash, [illegible] Feb 34 to 34¾
CORN—Lower 29 ¾ cash, 29¾ to 30 Jan 30¾ to 31¾ Feb 34 May
OATS—higher 20¾ to 20¾
RYE lower 42¾ cash 40[illegible]
BARLEY—dull choice Jan 85
LARD good demand 54a45
GREEN MEATS dull [illegible]
BULK MEATS quiet
HAM—$4 50 to 4 75
SHOULDERS $2 25 to 2 30, cribs $3.25 to 3.30, clear $3 35 to 3 40
PORK quiet, [illegible] 7 60 cash 7 72¾
SALT MEAT [illegible] 4 45 a 4 50 a 3 55 a 3 60
BACON—dull, 37¾a4
WHISKY [illegible] and unchanged $1 05

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKETS

St. Louis Dec 26.

CATTLE [illegible] good demand at any prices heavy ship[illegible] 30¾, [illegible] grade 4¾a5 Choice [illegible] fat butchers stock wanted at 2a2¾ [illegible] other grades, weaker Shipments [illegible]
HOGS active higher, light shipping $2 40 to 2 65 [illegible] 70 to 2 90 butchers and fancy heavy 2 85 to 3 00. Receipts 7 300 shipments 8 900
SHEEP [illegible] fair to good 23¾ choice to fancy 3¾a4¾ Receipts 640 shipments none.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

Chicago, Dec 26

FLOUR—unchanged
WHEAT steady fair demand No 2 red winter 89¾ a90 No 2 spring 80¾ to 80¾ cash 83¾ January 83¾ February No 2 spring 70¾ rejected 30¾
CORN dull, shade lower, 30¾ cash, 31 Jan, 35 May, rejected 27¾
OATS dull shade lower January, 20¾ February,
RYE—steady unchanged 48¾.
BARLEY—easier 98¾ cents
FLAX SEED—dull
PORK—good demand, lower $7 60 cash 7 60 to 7 62½ January, 7 80 to 7 72½ February, 7 80 March
LARD active weak but a shade lower, $5 45 cash
BULK MEATS fair demand, lower shoulders $2 50 [illegible] 55
COFFEE—firmer
SUGAR—quiet unchanged
MOLASSES quiet
RICE—steady
EGGS—firm western 14
BUTTER—quiet western 30
CHEESE—steady western 28a28
WHISKY—steady and unchanged 1 02

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Chicago Dec 26

HOGS receipts 33 000 shipments [illegible] markets [illegible] 5 to 6 cents lower choice heavy $2 60 to 2 85 light 2 40 to 2 60 mixed 2 35 to 2 60 Many [illegible]
CATTLE—receipts 2 400 shipments 2 200 [illegible] shipping $3 30 stockers 2 40 to 2 70 butchers steers 2 [illegible] cows 2 00 to 2 60
SHEEP receipts [illegible] shipments [illegible] market steady [illegible]

Notice of Final Settlement

STATE OF COLORADO, }
COUNTY OF EL PASO }

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of J F Liller, deceased will on the 27th day of January A D 1879 the same being the 1st day of the January term 1879 for probate business of the County Court of said county then to be held at the County Court Room in Colorado Springs present to the said Court her accounts as such Administratrix for final settlement
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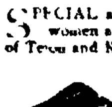

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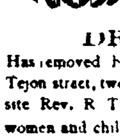

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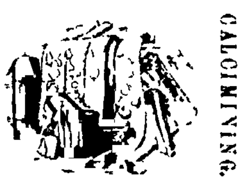

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P T Barnum is earnestly laboring to be the successor of "Mule" Barnum in the U S senate

Gladstone will be a candidate for Midlothian Scotland at the next election for a house of commons

This year showed that the republican party can barely exist without Chaffee's money or influence

Since Mr Chaffee is desirous of returning to private life it is really unkind in his friends to push him into public life again

The republican party is sufficiently grateful for the great services of Senator Chaffee to respect his earnest request to go into private life

It is thought that Governor Curtin will successfully contest the election of Yocum, greenback republican Under the circumstances we think it is a choice of evils

Major Atwood of the U S army, who married the daughter of Richard King, the cattle king of Texas, received a dowry of 80,000 head of cattle Most unmarried officers will not now object to being stationed in Texas

Roscoe Conkling says he is not a prospective candidate for the presidency and his friends say that he is This is like the Chaffee situation Has Chaffee been sitting at the feet of Conkling or Conkling at the feet of Chaffee?

The recent Ruskin-Whistler libel suit had many amusing features Not the least was the remark by Whistler's attorney that the suit was one by "Mr. Whistler, a distinguished artist, against Mr Ruskin, equally well known

There is some chance of a bolt among the republicans of the Illinois legislature against the election of John A Logan senator As the republican majority is very small, this bolt can defeat him If it should result in the election of a man like E B Washburne, we would not regret it

Senator Lamar thinks the Texas Pacific bill will have two majorities in the senate Since the A, T & S F Railroad can go to the Pacific without a subsidy, why can not others The day for subsidies is past If the management of the Texas Pacific cannot build the road without government aid it shows either that the road is not needed or that the management is weak

When the committee of senators was appointed to carry out the design of the Blaine resolution the backwardness of stalwart republican senators was very noticeable They have had so much to say about Hayes indifference to the poor colored voter that we should have thought they would have jumped at the chance of doing something Neither Blaine Conkling Howe Hamlin Cameron [illegible] Ferry [illegible] on the committee

Our amiable contemporary the *Mountaineer* is anti GAZETTE as it were We advise that its editor should condense its platform in the prospectus to the single expression On every question of men and measures we shall be unalterably and irrevocably opposed to the GAZETTE As the GAZETTE has not changed hands or principle with every new moon, such a platform would be at once simple and comprehensive

The testimony of republicans in regard to southern intimidation may be received with some doubt but the following complaint from General Reuben Davis an ex confederate soldier and an independent democratic candidate for congress should be listened to by all doubters "I do not believe that any fair minded man in this congressional district doubts the fact that a greater number of votes were cast for me than for my opponent in the late election Yet I was counted out For the last two or three weeks of the canvass I was denied the right of free speech was often while speaking so disturbed by my opponents as to compel me to desist and upon other occasion threatened with violence if I should attempt to address the people

On a matter of history the following reminiscence of the editor of our contemporary weekly will be exceedingly fresh

We were living in an adjoining state when the [illegible] Pacific monopoly declared its intention of defying congress ap[illegible] the courts of the land and by [illegible] money and threats gave [illegible] [illegible] men to understand that [illegible] came in the way of the gigantic [illegible] of this corporation they would be [illegible] and socially [illegible] [illegible] were need[illegible] [illegible] fight with the giant

that [illegible] itself such a political power in the land The people [illegible] interested in the win[illegible] of the [illegible] who need the n[illegible] defy Jay Gould with his millions *[illegible] that the [illegible] Chaffee [illegible] with that power and by his superb management, manly courage and incomparable labor drove it from the senate chamber* This was no small undertaking, and we doubt if there are more than half a dozen men in the senate if indeed there are that many who would have dared stand where Chaffee stood said what he did and challenge the power that he challenged.

Up to this time we had supposed that Thurman drew and managed the bill which drove Jay Gould & Co from the senate chamber and also the decided stand of a few men like Edmunds of Vermont contributed materially to the result But then we are relying on the Congressional Record for our information

Besides Mr Chaffee was quite ill at this time but then a man of his superb management &c could just as well from his bed drive Jay Gould from the senate chamber as from any other position But it is a mistake to say that it required courage to do this At that time there was a rivalry between the K P and U P roads and Colorado was unanimous against Jay Gould

The Denver *Tribune* has at last spoken on the senatorial questions Its editorial of Wednesday morning on Is Mr Chaffee a candidate is conservative sensible and just It rightly says that there is but one honorable course for him to pursue and that is to act up to the conscientious spirit as well as very letter of his voluntary declination to be a candidate for re election We fully endorse the following repudiation of that [illegible] plan

"If Mr Chaffee now thinks that he is so indispensible to the salvation and permanency of the republican party that it has no alternative but to re-elect him, he is laboring under a grievous mistake Nor in view of his persistant denials, can he expect, like a coy widow to be waited upon and cajoled and coaxed and wooed and won to accept as an act of condescension on his part the proudest gift that the people of this state can bestow The republican party here can stand alone walk alone and fight its battles regardless of whether Mr Chaffee remains in the Senate or not It does not accept [illegible] vors but bestows them Among its leaders are many men who will not suffer by contrast with Mr Chaffee in intellectual strength, forensic ability or moral worth and whichever one it selects from these to represent its interests in the national capital will reflect credit upon its choice The Legislature about to assemble is composed of unusually intelligent and well informed men They will tolerate no underground mole work and their deliberations will be marked by malice towards none and justice to all

Another View

Senator Conkling, it seems has had not the grace but the prudence to deny that he intended any slight of Senator Blaine in employing himself on his manuscript during the latter's speech last week However that may be certainly the motive generally attributed to him was in accord with his character and was properly inferred from his treatment of Senator Sumner on similar occasions whom he hated more bitterly even than he does Mr Blaine When Mr Sumner was the speaker not content with declining to listen he would engage in loud talk and rowdy like would laugh and sneer in the presence of the assembled thousands It was partly an expression of his petty malevolence and partly his desire to be conspicuous for, like Lord Beaconsfield Conkling is nothing if not spectacular *Washington Correspondence of the Springfield Republican*

Blaine's Strength

Yet to day notwithstanding all this burden of unworthiness Blaine is the idol of his party the public man whose utterances are listened to with the profoundest interest and widest admiration This because of his brilliant intellectual gifts his smartness of tongue and shrewdness in management, but above all because of his remarkable personal magnetism which completely enraptures and blinds the friend and disarms the critic Such qualities give him great strength as a presidential candidate Then he is regarded as the special exponent of northern sentiment toward the south which is just now peculiarly censorious and impatient as the leading champion of sound money in the late campaign who was even willing to sacrifice his own state on the altar (when he could not help it because the people had determined to revolt against him) in order that the credit of the nation might be preserved and strengthened he has also attained new distinction Among republicans who count these two issues the southern and financial of overtopping importance even after the sad experience and long pupilage we have gone through on both of them Mr Blaine will receive a wide support There is every appearance that men like Hoar of your state and newspapers such as the New York *Times* and *Tribune* would quickly fall into line behind his candidacy Many will say that they prefer him to Grant and the old corrupt ring that ruled here so long and will thus take him as the less of two evils Then there is the large southern delegations of republicans whose strength in the nominating convention will be entirely disproportionate to the vote of their section in the election There is little question that this element will be one that can be swayed by the promise of offices or other emoluments and so Mr Blaine will be enabled to practice to advantage the art of political trading in which he is an unrivaled master For the support of the southern republicans he is now evidently catering, his loudedly-heralded and highly exalted speech on Wednesday having been tuned as much to catch their votes as those of his northern brethren *Washington Correspondence Springfield Republican*

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Dated this twenty sixth day of November A D 1878 CHAS HALLOWELL Administrator

Nov 2 Dec [illegible]

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas J W Martin and Mary E Martin, both of the county of El Paso and territory (now state) of Colorado by their certain deed of trust dated April 1, 1878 and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of said El Paso county on the fifteenth April, 1878 in book 3 page 2[illegible] of the records of said El Paso county did convey to Charles Stockbridge trustee all of the following described premises situated in El Paso county, Colorado, to wit

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CHARLES STOCKBRIDGE, Trustee

Colorado Springs, Nov 23, 1878

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ATTORNEY

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Famous Christmas Dinner

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Whilst Mrs Lincoln's heart was large enough to feed an army a female head seemed wanting in executive ability to know how to receive prepare and deal out the carloads of supply which arrived with every incoming train A Quartermaster General was needed for the tremendous emergency, and here were only a handful of women without organization or definite method without even a responsible head to direct the storm Like the poor fisher man who opened the box that he had lifted from the sea, that was stamped with the seal of the great Solomon, and contained the awful genii they stood helpless before the spirit they had invoked And now a new danger threatened the little band of heroic women The December sun came out and poured his latent heat on the accumulated stores The weather seemed to forget it was acting the part of winter and donned an autumnal garment which carried destruction into the barrels and boxes of poultry What must be done So the women of position and fashion returned into their mansion and called loudly for their trusty Sancho Panza Mrs Failes of Iowa one of the noblest and most devoted friends of the soldier during the war tied her bonnet under chin and in brief time found herself at the White House

"Mrs Lincoln said the excited woman do you not see what is staring us in the face We shall be the laughing stock of the country The soldiers are already making fun of us"

What shall we do said Mrs Lincoln bursting into tears I have tried to do my best I'll do anything you say

Send the fools to the rear replied Mrs Failes of Iowa Put half dozen women of sense at the helm We can't do much but we will keep what we have got from spoiling

Where are these women said Mrs Lincoln peeping through her blinding tears I am sure I want to find them

Then a new thought seemed to strike the wife of Abraham Lincoln I'll give you the power to act for me The excitement has completely broken me down I'll order a carriage with footman and driver and a servant inside to take your orders anywhere Don't let us have any failure We must save the day or he will never get over laughing about it

"Whom?" asked Mrs Failes

Why the president He told me not to do it but I would Go quick now Don't let Mr Lincoln know anything about it

In less than an hour the beautiful executive carriage with its liveried footman and driver might have been seen standing before one of the modest hotels so numerous in Washington The door was quickly opened, and a woman of commanding presence descended with all the dignity of an old time queen She hurried through the long corridor and sprung with greatest haste up the long flights of stairs that led to the third story, and without waiting for the loud knock to be answered entered the somewhat humble room She surprised the solitary woman seated at her writing desk as usual work in at her daily task "I have come, said Mrs Failes from Mrs Lincoln, with authority to—put this dinner through Not a smile or a chuckle on the countenance of the person addressed but one of those deep broad resonant laughs that strikes the air clear and musical as the silvery notes of a bugle horn What do you propose to do inquired this merry woman "I intend to organize at once I came here to order you to Convalescent camp to take charge of things down there Oh Mrs Failes spare oh spare us such an awful job Will there be enough food on hand to give seventy thousand—men a mouthful—spare I did not come here to be catechised by a young woman like you I promised to find you Mrs Lincoln even though the day is lost It is the place for a soldier to be you accept Yes was the reply I will perish with my superior the Sit down Mrs Failes and let us look the awful situation in the face I have already thought the matter over, and intend as soon as my manuscript is finished to see Mrs Lincoln myself, She has not delegated sufficient power anywhere If the thing proved a success half dozen women meant to divide the glory among themselves, but with disaster and ruin star

ing us in the face we are [illegible] they consider [illegible] [illegible] Mrs [illegible] what can be done

You know about the cooking arrangements of the different hospitals asked the writer and whether an extra dinner at each could be cooked at the same time

[illegible] replied Mrs Failes I know as much about the kitchens of the hospitals as the one in my own house Have you an account of the stores already on hand?" "Not exactly but can soon very nearly ascertain Then we must find out how many hospitals will take charge of its quota of turkeys cook them under the supervision of our own committees who will stay and see that every soldier is served We must begin shipping the stores at once Convalescent camp as the soldiers are in tights, turn must be served with a cold collation The food that we cook today to keep from spoiling can be saved to send to Convalescent camp This is served with a pint of cranberries to each man

Don't speak of Convalescent camp as far as a Christmas dinner is concerned But didn't you say that was the point allotted for my defeat

Why you are to go down to Convalescent camp to talk to the soldiers to [illegible] them to explain why they can't have a Christmas dinner

I'll be hanged first

What am I going to do if my trusty chief of staff begins a mutiny Then two great pearls tears rolled out of the brightest bluest and most benevolent pair of eyes that ever ornamented the face of woman

No said the American queen this is no time for tears as she wiped the salty pearl from her cheek There is not an instant to spare As fast as the car loads arrive they must be assorted and be sent to the different places where the cooking will be done Poultry that will keep until the day [illegible] can be laid aside That which has been packed close and will [illegible] the open air must—be disposed of at once and kept for Christmas dinner We cannot give the soldiers a Christmas dinner but we can turn it into what I call a holiday meal I mean by that before the New Year every soldier shall have a taste of something that will remind him of home Now get your bonnet and let us go to work

Before the day was over a plan was matured which brought the scattered forces together and evolved order out of chaos Two sets of committees were chosen one for ornament the other for use The ornaments consisted of Mrs Lincoln and the original projectors of the philanthropic scheme the other Mrs Failes and her able assistants, which consisted of picked working women chosen from the hospitals, with a few others known in the active fields of life The husband of Mrs Failes received the supplies and with book in hand, kept certain account of the amount sent to different quarters—He knew the number of men at each hospital, and looked after them in precisely the way a landlord provides for certain number of guests at the Continental The rapidly spoiling food found its way to the kitchens of the different hospitals and to a limited number of other places, where parties had [illegible] to help the work The [illegible] of Washington offered their huge ovens [illegible] that was a large amount of stores were saved Hardly a house among the Union loving people at the capital but contributed something But the time was so brief that the working women had for this tremendous undertaking that of necessity there was no way in which the dinner could be equitably served In the first place there was not sufficient quantity to serve forty thousand men and a hundred [illegible] not [illegible] to come to dinner In two or three of the most aristocratic hospitals and his means those to a greater degree under the patronage of fine ladies there was what the soldiers called a Christmas show Tables were set and the cake was as much as a stalk of celery to each man but they were waited upon by ladies whose rustling silks startled the wounded sleepers and whose dainty fingers were never ungloved whilst doing hospital duty About Convalescent camp, one of the working women was present and made the first last and only public speech of her life by the order of a superior officer at the command of Almira Failes whose name lives in the memory of hundreds of our late Union soldiers, who are now in the peaceful pursuits of civil life Almira Failes of Iowa Her ashes rest in that beautiful state whilst her spirit has solved the great problem "Don't be afraid to die boys she would say every man's soul is safe who dies for his country thus imparting her own heroic spirit to those called away

It was Christmas at Convalescent camp a point of hilly land that lies between Alexandria and Washington Over the Virginia hills was dropped a hazy veil but the sky was cold and iridescent as though carved from opal In the morning the winds promised to be as gentle as the breath of Indian summer but as noontide advanced they veered to the north east and became chilling as the glance of an offended lover From the tented city on the hill came the blue coats apparently as [illegible] as wolves in a Russian forest toward the supply train that hauled from Washington This consisted of three army wagons and two ambulances, one of the latter contained four trembling women who felt precisely as the doomed six hundred at Balaklava who made the gallant charge

Into the valley of death
Rode the six hundred

What shall we do said one of the trembling women when the vast moving mass came in sight as she glanced at the supply in the same spirit as the mother in the sleigh surveyed her children and felt she must throw one overboard

Trust in God who made the loaves and fishes feed the multitude replied the [illegible] wife of a soldier who had followed her husband to his cot where he lay dying of an ugly wound received in battle

But there is no Christ here to perform a miracle replied the first speaker

No replied the soldier's widow but Christ is in every man's heart who fights [illegible] to them [illegible] so hers and tell them how hard we have worked to give them a Christmas dinner, they will believe it and feel grateful just the same

About this time the end of the journey was reached, and the sorry little train came to a halt An officer whose epaulettes denoted a captain's rank advanced and helped the ladies descend from the [illegible] The working woman began the explanation [illegible] said this officer who at the same time was the finest specimen of the American nobleman give yourselves no uneasiness We know the trials through which you have passed We knew in the beginning that you had begun a work which was impossible to carry through So in order to help you, a few of us officers went to the quartermaster and asked to have their rations fixed up as good as possible for to-day The Sanitary Commission sent us some cranberries and onions and we managed to get a few extras ourselves We have prepared the boys for the disappointment and they regard it as a good joke At this moment the timid woman began to cry and the soldier's widow raised her faded eyes and the tears rolled down her cheeks Didn't I tell you so? I knew the Lord would take care of us At this moment a buck tail boy of Pennsylvania whose sorrel-top was crowned with a turban rag ornamented with a squirrel's tail came up and asked What are the women snifflin about Buck said the officer in tones of command these ladies are under my protection 'Nobody wants to eat em' replied buck tail as he slipped back out of sight of the officer

"Would you mind our saying a few words to the soldiers—to those within hearing?" asked the working woman of the officer

No my dear lady We shall be glad to hear anything you have to say The sight of women who try to do us good is the best thing we soldiers see At this moment there were scores of uncovered heads Those out of hearing of the officer's voice in compliment to their comrades removed their caps and thousands of men with hat in hand stood under the canopied heavens A silence fell upon the vast throng A chair was placed upon a large box and the working woman quickly ascended it Soldiers said the speaker we have come from Washington to tell you how hard we have tried, and how many days we have worked to be able to bring you a Christmas dinner With the means at hand we might as well try to count the leaves of the forest When we met for the last time together, this morning we felt there might be some poor weak comrade who had left the hospital too soon, and really ought not to be in Convalescent camp [Hear hear that's so] To such we have brought a little taste of the home cheer We have put in charge of some of your number to those whom you may choose to dispense the small supply In the meantime the officer present will aid the train whilst the Christmas election is going on It was a mistake soldiers, when we tried to accomplish the impossible, but we want you to forgive our errors, and when the war is over, and when you all come home

At this moment there was a round of applause that made the Virginia woods ring, and in the tumult the woman jumped off the box and was whisked into the ambulance The mules pricked up their ears and started on a smart, half horse trot

Convalescent camp faded out of the horizon's rim and Christmas dinner was ended *Philadelphia Press*

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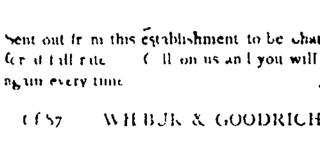

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I have in stock a choice lot of Ladies' and Gents'

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.

LADIES AND GENTS JEWELRY,

POCKET KNIVES,

GENTS SCARFS,

And a great many other things too numerous to mention.

When in need of anything in my line, you can surely

SAVE MONEY

By calling and seeing my goods and prices

Remember the place is at the CHEAP CASH STORE of

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DURKEE & LEE

Oh! Ho! Oh! Ho!

NO PREMIUMS SURREPTITIOUSLY OBTAINED

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The New "Bright Vision!"

BEST, BEST, BEST

The Greatest Attainment Yet as a Parlor Stove

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CHEAP! CHEAPER! CHEAPEST!

"ROYALIST" and "STARTLE."

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New goods,

HOLIDAY GOODS,

Beautiful Goods,

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Christmas! Christmas!

Goods for the

HOLIDAYS!

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OF THE

City Drug Store

Has just received a new and elegant line of

TOILET & FANCY ARTICLES,

Including elegant toilet sets, perfumery cases, cut glass bottles, French plate toilet glasses, fancy soaps, perfumeries, imported colognes, powders and lotions, etc , etc , etc

All of these he will offer at prices never before heard of this city. Be sure and call before purchasing, as it costs nothing to examine the goods

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The largest stock ever brought to this city just received These are all fresh goods, which customers may depend upon

The Prescription Department is UNSURPASSED at ANY STORE IN THE STATE

A thorough pharmacist himself, Mr Kennedy knows the value of having competent assistants, and patrons may rest assured that their medicines will be promptly and accurately prepared.

Remember the place

Corner of Tejon and Huerfano Streets Colorado Springs

CITY DRUG STORE

HOLIDAY SUPPLEMENT.

COLORADO SPRINGS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1878.

OUT WEST

Quite an important silver district is being developed on the hills north of Black Hawk A large number of valuable lodes are paying owners or lessees

Leadville thieves are provident wretches as well as literary in their tastes Since attempting to rob a bookstore they have secured five hundred pounds of flour and left no trail *Reveille*

The Rosita *Index* says a man living a few miles from town killed twelve deer last week and sold them from $5 to $6 each Pretty good week's work,

If the snow keeps up its racket a four horse sleigh will be put on the Canon City line between here and the half way house in place of the coach Quite an improvement *Rosita Index*

Trains on the South Park road are now running to Grant and there connecting with the stage line for Leadville The road builders are now pushing on to Hall's valley

The authorities are greatly incensed over the matter and propose using every endeavor to find of whom Chavanaux procured the liquor, and prosecute such parties to the extent of the law

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway in crossing the Raton pass south of Trinidad has the steepest grade in use in the country For a large portion of five miles on either side of the summit the switch backs have a grade of three hundred and sixteen feet to the mile

The great Boston and Colorado smelting works, at Argo are getting down to business, and soon all the smelting of that company will be done there Black Hawk will then have only an ore buying and sampling agency instead of a big establishment as heretofore *Reveille*

Last Wednesday a young man named Rogers while on a hunting expedition a few miles from town succeeded in shooting a large eagle. The king of birds was a fine specimen and measured seven feet from tip to tip of wings. He brought it to town and presented it to Mrs W. M. [illegible], who, being skilled in ornithology, has preserved it so perfectly that it presents a natural appearance. *[illegible]*

The C[illegible] T[illegible] says, "on Monday last as the mail carrier was on his way from the Agency to Ouray with our mail, he [illegible] by War Chief Chavanaux a short distance this side of the Agency Chavanaux was drunk, and as usual with Indians as with white men, inclined to make a fool of himself He seized the carrier's horse, demanded the mail bags and on being refused led the horse with his rider some distance back on the road Getting away from the old chief, the rider finally reached Ouray, several hours behind time

From the Rosita *Index*

The King of the Valley is producing some very rich ore

Forty tons of rock from the surface of the Horn silver claim, milled 12½ ozs per ton.

The Fleetwood looks well the proprietors having struck ore last week

The Racine Boy is only working from ten to fifteen men, the snow rendering it impossible to work a larger force to advantage.

Mr. Wulsten has bonded his mine to eastern parties for $5,000, receiving a good bonus down

Mr Norris has unearthed a deposit of mineral in the shaft of the Richman claim on Round Top mountain, that assays over 300 ounces per ton

The mill returns from a car load of ore shipped to Argo from the Plata Verde, was 261 ounces per ton

All of the above mines are located in Silver Cliff mining district

From the Georgetown *Miner* we obtain the following items of interest

Six parties of lessees are at work on the Chelsea Beach and Brown lodes, on Brown Mountain Two parties are stoping in the middle level of the former lode with fair results, the ore running from 450 to 350 ounces. One of these parties, Sampson & Ralph, are also stoping immediately below that level on four inches of 200 ounce ore.

Mitchell and Glasson are leasing and working thirty feet below the lower tunnel They are drifting east on two inches of fine-looking ore, the quality of which has not yet been tested, but it will doubtless prove satisfactory, as it is full of gray copper A party is sinking the discovery shaft of the Chelsea Beach, where they have about two inches of ore, a late run of which milled 430 ounces.

The Mendota lode on Republican Mountain is now leased by Messrs Ware Thompson & Schwartz, who are employing seven men in its development The Shaft is sixty feet deep, and a drift is run from the bottom in a westerly direction a distance of ninety feet. The ore is from one to three feet wide in the drift, consisting largely of galena, iron pyrites and zinc blende, being disseminated through it, and occasional spots of gray copper are found An assay of 800 ounces is said to have been taken from there recently, and we hear there is an improvement in the quality of the ore.

The Fulton is the western extension of the Mendota and is owned by the party leasing the last named lode, whose names are given above It is leased by Messrs. Matthews, Morris & Schwartz, who have a shaft 27 feet deep, and are still sinking, employing two men for that purpose, though another shaft will soon be added This shaft is 110 feet west of the Mendota shaft and carries but little ore thus far, the width of the streak being from half an inch to one and a half inches The highest assays run up to about 40 ounces.

LOW!

During the past week the thermometer has reached a low figure lower than at any time during the year This, and more too, is true of the prices for which

Ready-Made clothing

is sold at the clothing-house of

F. E. DOW.

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STYLISH AND CHEAP,

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Boys' Suits and Overcoats

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Not only is this wide awake firm selling Overcoats and Suits of nearly every description for Men and Boys, at prices below other dealers, but at prices actually lower than have been known in the last quarter of a century. This statements are being verified every hour of the day, and people from all quarters are greatly benefited as a result,

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Should bear in mind that at this store they can find the largest and finest line of

SILK NECK-TIES, SCARFS, Etc.
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS of every description and latest styles
No Better HOLIDAY PRESENTS than which can be found in the city.

The Finest Line of
GENT'S UNDERWEAR
May be found here.

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IN ALL STYLES AND PRICES

FURNITURE & CARPETS

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The Largest and Oldest Furniture House in Colorado Springs

Holiday Goods Elegant Parlor and Chamber Sets Ladies' Sewing Chairs. Brackets, Picture Frames, Foot Rests, Card Tables, &c

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

The finest imported and Key West also domestic cigars in the city at C Stockbridge's It is so, call and see tf

Paints, ... Oils,
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At BROWN'S, North Tejon street, . . . 190tf

RIFLES, SHOTGUNS, AND REVOLVERS.

Charles Stockbridge is the only one in the county that makes a specialty of the above. He is selling them as low as any one in the state You save money by buying of him. tf

THE CURRENCY QUESTION

Notwithstanding the fact that thousands of our people are at present worrying themselves almost to death over—this vexed question, even to the extent of neglecting their business, their homes and their duty to their families, there are still thousands upon thousands of smart, hard working, intelligent men pouring into the great Arkansas Valley, the Garden of the West, where the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad offers them their choice of 2,500,000 acres of the finest farming lands in the world at almost their own prices If you do not believe it, write to the undersigned, who will tell you where you can get a cheap land exploring ticket, and now, at a moderate expense, you can see for yourself and be convinced

W. F. WHITE,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent,
tf Topeka, Kansas.

A WAR INCIDENT

DEAR DOCTOR. You did a good turn for me, you saved my life To be sure you left me minus a leg in doing it, but life is sweet even but with one foot to hobble through the world with. It was down at , it was a bloody day but a glorious one! You remember how but I beg pardon, I always forget myself when I get talking about those old times. This is what I want to tell you One morning last week I awoke feeling very strange For a time my liver had been rebellious, but I had anticipated no trouble. But that morning I discovered that my stomach had joined the revolt and a lively skirmish was being carried on that threatened to end in a hard battle The suddenness of the revolt put the *head*-quarters in confusion, and all seemed hopeless till, suddenly, like one of those flashing orders of Grant, came the command, "Get Dr. Sherman Compound Prickly Ash Bitters" A courier was immediately dispatched for them and finding them only at Sagendorf & Wallace's, he brought me two bottles, and now what I want to say is this I feel like a volunteer who has just received his commission, or, better still, as well as Grant did when he held Lee's sword And I want to advise all who suffer from a rebellious liver and stomach to "fight it out on this line,' and they will surely be victorious

AN OLD VET.

Messrs Sagendorf & Wallace have the exclusive agency for these celebrated bitters, which they will furnish by the case, dozen, or bottle, 181dw2m

A large lot of the Gladiator Overalls at D. W. ROBBINS' They are the best overall made 182-tf

GRAND

Christmas Announcement!

Santa Claus' Headquarters.

Saint Nick will hold a reception each day and evening until the first of January. at the store of

E. P. HOWBERT & CO.,

at which time he will display the grandest and most complete line of

HOLIDAY GOODS

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THEY HAVE

DRUMS & GUNS	DISHES & DOLLS
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PARENTS SHOULD NOT FAIL TO

Make the Little Ones Happy,

When it can be done at as little a cost at this popular emporium

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Children's Express Wagons,
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Trumpets, Bugles,
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AND THE LARGEST STOCK OF

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Picture Frames, Toilet Sets,
Fine Papeteries.

Pictures Framed to Order from Elegant Mouldings Just Received.

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For the Holidays!

New! Newer! Newest!

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From 6 cents, upwards.

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In the Latest Styles.

Furs Furs Furs

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In Endless Styles and Varieties

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In New and Beautiful Patterns

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Prints in 1001 Different Patterns

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Real Underwear Novelties
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Selected expressly for the Holiday Trade.

Ladies and Children's Underwear in the finest variety of

SKIRTS,
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DRAWERS, &c.
Ever brought to this Market

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WHAT THE CAPITAL HAS COST.

Is it worth the Money?—Some Expenditures for "Works of Art"—Apparently Useless Extravagance.

Last June congress called upon the secretary of the treasury for a tabulated statement of all money spent by the government since its origin in the District of Columbia. This statement has been prepared by Mr. Bailey, of the warrant division, and is full of interesting figures. The total expenditures for what may be called permanent improvements, including original expenditures, the cost of repairs, furnishing and keeping in order the public institutions in Washington are, as follows:

The Capitol	$12,181,641.13
The Patent Office	[illegible]
The Treasury Department	[illegible]
Streets and avenues of Washington	[illegible]
The State Department	4,989,913.21
Loans, etc., to the District of Columbia	[illegible]
Benevolent institutions	[illegible]
Penal institutions	[illegible]
Water works	[illegible]
Navy Department (including yard)	[illegible]
Department of Agriculture	[illegible]
Smithsonian Institution	[illegible]
Post-office Department	[illegible]
War Department	[illegible]
Parks and public grounds	[illegible]
The Executive Mansion and grounds	[illegible]
The Library of Congress	[illegible]
Bridges, etc	[illegible]
The Botanic Garden	[illegible]
Works of art, painting, statuary—Corcoran Gallery	[illegible]
Canals	[illegible]
Miscellaneous	[illegible]
Fire Department—buildings, engines, etc	[illegible]
Courts	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

The total represents the amount of money the government has invested in the District of Columbia, under the items named, none of which, under the statutes, is taxable. The government owns all the streets, avenues, alleys, parks and public grounds in Washington, and is proprietor of about one-half the acreage of the city. In lieu of taxes, it annually provides one-half of the money required to support the district government.

THE NOBLE RED MAN.

How He is Getting Along Under the Great Chiefs at Washington

A letter received at Washington from Yankton indicates that Secretary Schurz and Commissioner Hayt are not getting on very well with Indians as contractors. The commissioner says that he has information that the Red Cloud and Spotted Tail Indians are actively at work transporting their own supplies to the new agency, but the letter referred to tells quite a different story. It says, on the word of an army officer, that one million pounds of supplies are at the agency buildings on the Missouri river, which must be transported back into the country, a distance of two hundred miles, to Red Cloud's present location. One train of a hundred wagons had started out, carrying one hundred thousand pounds. With this train are one hundred Indians as drivers and their squaws, who act as cooks. It will require at least a month over bad roads to make a round trip and the Indians and ponies must subsist on the thousand pounds loaded on each wagon. A hundred miles of the road has been burnt over and can furnish no forage. The ponies are described as very small and in poor condition, and in bad winter weather and the usual snow varying from one to ten feet in depth these ponies must stick and the supplies be abandoned. Army officers say that under the most favorable circumstances the Indians with their transportation facilities will consume ten months in getting their winter supplies through. Their annuity goods, including winter clothing, are still on the rivers, and 6,000 people are depending upon these supplies. The letter says it is a question whether the ponies can haul enough to supply themselves and the Indians on a round trip. If white contractors are called in the cost of transportation will be more than the supplies are worth. The Indian drivers receive $30 a month each; and if this is deducted from the appropriation for their supplies, as Commissioner Hayt says it will be, the Indians will make trouble. The question is asked, why was all this transportation left until winter?

The Finances of the Pope.

Many people will be astonished to hear what the *Catholic Mirror* has to say on this subject. The prevailing impression has been that the treasury of Pope Leo was well filled for the future. The wonderful and constant flow of Peter's Pence to the coffers of the Holy See, which was one of the glories of the reign of Pius IX., was lessened by the repeated and positive announcements of the secular press that the late pope left millions of dollars to his successor, and that the Holy See could get along with the immense sum in bank to its credit. On the contrary, the Holy See, far from having large deposits in bank, is dependent on the faithful for its daily supplies. While the amount of its revenues has decreased, its needs have increased, and now its condition appeals to the generosity of the faithful. In France, the movement to come to the rescue of the Holy Father is becoming general and a permanent organization will soon be formed. In England Cardinal Manning has ordered a special collection to be taken up the first Sunday of every month as Peter's Pence in every church in his diocese. The faithful of America will not be last in the filial duty of contributing to the support of the Holy See, and soon the world will be amazed at the spectacle of millions of men sending, from the four corners of the earth steady streams of assistance to a poor and aged man in a prison in Rome."

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People's Meat Market

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Walter A. Smith,

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Real Estate and Loan AGENT,

Opposite El Paso County Bank;

COLORADO SPRINGS COLORADO

Retail Market Report.

Groceries.

[illegible], ₱ lb	[illegible]		
[illegible], ₱ lb, new		[illegible]	
[illegible], ₱ lb		[illegible]	
[illegible], ₱ lb			
Coffee, Java, ₱ lb	[illegible]		
Corn Meal, ₱ 100 lbs	[illegible]		45
Cherries, dried, ₱ lb	[illegible]		1 75
Currants, dried, ₱ lb			25
Coal Oil, ₱ gallon	[illegible]		
Lard, ₱ lb	[illegible]		35
Prunes, ₱ lb	[illegible]		15
Raspberries, dried, ₱ lb	[illegible]		
Raisins, ₱ lb	[illegible]		
Sugar, brown, ₱ lb	[illegible]		[illegible]
Sugar, extra C, ₱ lb	[illegible]		[illegible]
Sugar, A coffee, ₱ lb	[illegible]		
Sugar, cut loaf, ₱ lb	[illegible]		
Sugar, powdered, ₱ lb	[illegible]		
Tea, green, ₱ lb	75		
Tea, black, ₱ lb	[illegible]	@	1 40
Bacon, ₱ lb	75	@	1 25
Hams, ₱ lb	10	@	13
	12	@	15

Fruits.

Apples, ₱ lb		@	5

Meats and Game.

Sausage ₱ lb			
Beef, ₱ lb			12½
Dried Beef, ₱ lb	4	@	15
Corned Beef, ₱ lb	3	@	8
Turkeys, ₱ lb			20
Chickens, ₱ dozen	[illegible]	@	4 00
Mutton, ₱ lb	[illegible]	@	12½
Sausage, Bologna, ₱ lb	15		
Veal, ₱ lb	[illegible]	@	15

Vegetables.

Beets new, ₱ lb	[illegible]	
Cabbage, ₱ lb	[illegible]	
Onions, ₱ lb	[illegible]	
Potatoes, ₱ lb	1½	@ 2

Wholesale Price Current.

Apples, ₱ bbl	$4 25	
Potatoes, ₱ 100 lbs	[illegible]	@ 1 60
Cheese, Gwillim	12½	@
Coal (Canon) per ton	4 95	

Flour, Grain, Hay, Etc.

Corn, ₱ 100 lbs	[illegible]	@
Oats, ₱ 100 lbs	1 15	@
Corn Chop, ₱ 100 lbs	1 10	@
Mixed Feed, ₱ 100 lbs	1 15	@
Corn Meal, ₱ 100 lbs	1 60	@
Bran, ₱ 100 lbs	[illegible]	@
XXXX Flour, ₱ sack	[illegible]	@ 2 30
Hay, ₱ ton	15 00	@ 20 00

Butter and Eggs.

Butter, ranch, ₱ lb	[illegible]	@	45
Eggs, states, ₱ dozen	[illegible]	@	35
Eggs, ranch, ₱ dozen	40	@	

Lumber, Shingles, Sash, Etc.

Colorado Clear, 1¼, 1½ & 2 in., ₱ M	35 00	@ 40 00
Clear, 1 in., ₱ M	45 00	
Flooring, D & M, ₱ M	30 00	
Common Lumber, ₱ M	20 00	
Chicago Clear, 1¼, 1½ & 2 in., ₱ M	60 00	
" " 1 in., ₱ M	45 00	@ 55 00
" Flooring, D & M, ₱ M	85 00	
" Clear Siding, ₱ M	25 00	
" Beaded Ceiling, ₱ M	87 00	
Shingles, ₱ M	4 00	@ 5 00
Lath ₱ M	5 25	@ 5 75
Doors, 2 ft 6 in x 6 ft 6 in, 1 in	1 50	
" 2 ft x 6 ft, 1 3-16	1 75	
" 2 ft 6 in x 6 ft 6 in, 1 3-16	1 9[illegible]	
" 2 ft 8 in x 6 ft 8 in, 1 3-16	[illegible]	
" 2 ft 6 in x 6 ft 6 in, 1⅜	2 41	
" [illegible]	[illegible]	
Sash Doors	3 75	@ 4 00
Windows, glazed, 8x10—12 light	[illegible]	
" " 10x12 8 "	1 65	
" " 10x14—8 "	1 80	
" " 12x14—8 "	2 30	
" " 12x16—8 "	[illegible]	
Blinds, ₱ pair	[illegible] 75	@ [illegible] 00
Tar Paper, ₱ lb	[illegible]	
Carpet Paper, ₱ lb		

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR 1878-9.

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A STORY OF NEW ORLEANS, by George W. Cable, to be begun on the conclusion of "Falconberg." This story will exhibit the state of society in Creole Louisiana about the years 1803-4-5, the time of the Cession, and a period bearing a remarkable likeness to the present reconstruction period.

THE "JOHNNY REB" PAPERS, by an "ex-Confederate" soldier, will be among the raciest contributions to Scribner during the year. They are written and illustrated by Mr. Allen C. Redwood, of Baltimore. The first of the series, "Johnny Reb at Play," appears in the November number.

PORTRAITS OF AMERICAN POETS. This series (begun in August with the portrait of Bryant) will be continued, that of Longfellow appearing in November. These portraits are drawn from life by Wyatt Eaton and engraved by T. Cole. They will be printed separately on tinted paper, as frontispieces of four different numbers. Illustrated sketches of the lives of the poets will accompany these portraits.

Among the additional series of papers to appear may be mentioned those on How Shall we Spell (two papers by Prof. Lounsbury). The New South, Lawn-Planting for Small Places (by Samuel Parsons of Flushing), Canada of To-day, American Art and Artists, American Archæology, Modern Inventors; also, Papers of Travel, History, Physical Science, Studies in Literature, Political and Social Science, Stories, Poems; "Topics of the Time," by Dr. J. G. Holland; record of New Inventions and Mechanical Improvements; Papers on Education, Decoration, &c.; Book Reviews; fresh bits of Wit, and Humor, &c., &c.

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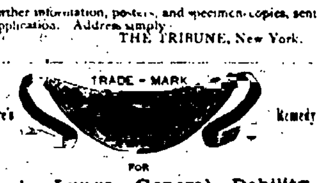

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Official Paper of the City of Colorado Springs

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1878

After this date all persons who desire their advertisements taken out of the GAZETTE will please make it known at the counting room, where such matters are properly attended to

W B Norton has the thanks of the night watchmen for a substantial lunch in the shape of fried oysters last night Norton is popular as a man and his oyster bay is a popular place for getting a good lunch.

The Leadville *Reveille* says that on election day 408 votes were cast for the water works and only 4 against this absolute necessity for the convenience and safety of our city We shall heartily welcome the coming of Russell & Alexander, the contractors, for as may be seen by special mention elsewhere, they mean business

Personal

J A Nichols left yesterday for a trip east.

Mrs. Robbins, of Iowa, mother of D. W. Robbins, is here on a protracted visit among friends

Hon. James Grant, proprietor of the Grant smelter and furnace at Leadville, is in the city He is engaged in buying up mules to the number of four hundred, which he will put upon the road between here and Leadville, hauling freight

[illegible]

W F. Mason was taken before Judge Smith on Wednesday morning, charged with being drunk and disorderly. He was fined $5 and costs Paid.

Yesterday there appeared in the same court, W. A F Brice upon the same charge. He was one of the "coons" who took part in [illegible] disturbance at the colored church on Christmas eve, Judge Smith fined him $5 and costs, in default of which he went to the "cooler"

West Slaughter, another of the "coons," was brought up on two charges, first for being drunk and disorderly, and the second for disturbing a public [illegible] He was convicted on both charges and fined to the amount of $[illegible], which he paid

[illegible]

Nearly all [illegible] a heavy [illegible] prevailed from the north, unaccompanied by snow, but causing that which had fallen to drift badly In this way the railroads in many places were blockaded, causing a delay to the trains of several hours The north-bound express due here at 4 10 Wednesday afternoon did not reach here until 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Yesterday's south-bound express reached here at 12 40 p. m, over an hour late The afternoon train was only a few moments behind time, but the A. T. & S. F. did not connect in consequence of being three hours late.

The storm must have been severe upon stock, but we have been unable as yet to learn of any losses.

That Concert.

After three appointments and a like number of postponements all on account of the bad weather the concert was given at the M E church last evening Although the weather was extremely cold and the fair was in progress at the court house, the attendance was very fair the door fees aggregating something over $15 00. Owing to circumstances over which the committee had no control, the entertainment did not begin until eight o clock But the programme had the merit of being reasonably short, well arranged, and considering all the circumstances, executed in a very creditable manner It was arranged to suit the occasion and was as follows

Quartet "O how beautiful Miss Newman, Mrs Parker, Mr Corman and Mr Irving

Solo 'Take me home' Miss Dora Shideler Miss Shideler has a charming voice, and, with proper training, will develop into a beautiful singer

Recitation 'Too much hawk By Miss Shields Which was very good

Solo 'Only remembered By Mrs H L Parker In this and in a solo sung by her afterwards, Mrs Parker sustained her reputation as a popular singer.

Merry mill wheel was a quartet by those mentioned in the first number, which came in for its share of manifest appreciation.

'How St Michael was saved was recited by Miss Flora M Andrews in her usual felicitous manner Miss Andrews is said to have no superior in the city in this *role*

Miss Carrie Newman in her solo 'Kittie's letter,' fairly earned the generous applause she received

The spectacular piece entitled "Ten virgins was presented by the Misses Cheese Hix Newman, Tweed and Crystal as the foolish and the Misses Riggs, [illegible] Clark and Heck as the wise [illegible] was well presented, and was [illegible]

[illegible] impression prevailed [illegible] was to have been [illegible] with oysters, cake [illegible] ments The com[illegible] was not responsi[illegible] and was not pre[illegible] etcetera

The Late Jas Thurlow

It is with the deepest regret that we announce the death of Jas Thurlow esq, which took place at his residence in Manitou on Christmas morning at 8 o clock He been in his usual good health up to a week ago when he had a severe attack of pneumonia, from which he never recovered

His funeral took place yesterday at 12 o clock at the Baptist church in this city A considerable company of friends from Manitou and Colorado Springs assembled at that time, though comparatively few knew of the appointment, there having been no opportunity to give extended notice Mr Cross preached a brief and appropriate sermon, assisted in the services by Messrs Stay and Vail A memorial service will be held at Manitou next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock

In the death of Mr Thurlow El Paso county loses one of her most valued citizens. He had become widely known as an artist and none the less so as a thorough Christian gentleman But few men have the friendship of all who know them more than Mr Thurlow had, and it is perhaps safe to say that no other citizen of Manitou has done more for her moral and religious interests than he His interest in church and Sunday school services was unceasing He was a member of the Reformed Episcopal church, but always welcomed and worked with any who would promote the welfare of men At the time of his death he had presents for the Sunday School children in his house, and died thinking and wishing for the happiness of others

Many will extend their sympathies to the bereaved relatives especially to Mrs Thurlow, to whom he was married less than four months ago and on whom this blow falls most heavily.

At a meeting of the citizens of Manitou, held at the school building, Dec 25th, 1878, the following resolutions of respect and condolence were unanimously passed

Resolved, That in the passing away of James T. Thurlow our community has lost an esteemed fellow citizen, one universally recognized as a friend, faithful and true, as a citizen, liberal and enterprising, as a man, honest and incorruptible as a brother to poor humanity, always loving and kind.

Resolved, That in him the Sabbath-school and church of which he was a member, and all Christian churches, have lost a representative man, one who has long graced the peaceful and holy walks of true religion by a life of spotless honor and genuine nobility of character, for he was an epistle known and read of all men, and dignified his faith by a pure life and godly conversation. A true Christian gentleman and a most devoted friend of the church passes away in his death.

Resolved, That to his loving wife and daughter, in this, the day of their sore affliction, we tender our warmest sympathies and we mingle our tears with theirs. The light has gone out on earth forever, but in the temple of our memories shall ever be enshrined the tender recollection of his genial smile, his pleasant voice, his welcome step and his kindly greeting On the morn of this happy Christmas tide, he has entered into the heavenly inheritance, but he leaves to his wife, his daughter, his brothers and sister, and to his friends all, a very precious heritage in his unspotted integrity, and the good name which is rather to be chosen than great riches

Resolved, That the Colorado Springs GAZETTE, the *Mountaineer* and the Denver *Tribune* be requested to publish these resolutions, that they be spread upon the records of the town of Manitou, and that a copy be tendered to the family of the deceased

GEO P. MATTHEWS,
DANIEL DESMOND, } Committee.
MAX WENIGER,

After a mutual interchange of tender regrets and kind remembrances of him so suddenly called from among his friends to a higher and purer sphere, the meeting adjourned CHARLES CROSS, Pres t

The Catholic Fair

Both last night and the previous evening witnessed good attendances at the Catholic fair Plenty of amusement is furnished in the way of dancing, and in addition there was presented last night the drama "Robert Emmet with Mr J R Faulkner in the double role of 'Emmet and "Darby O Gaff His impersonation of the latter character gave great satisfaction and created much merriment by his droll remarks The balance of the cast sustained their parts very creditably considering it was their first attempt

At the close of the entertainment on Wednesday evening the balloting on the gold headed cane stood, Ellison 139, France 113, scattering 10 At 12 o'clock last night it stood, Ellison 226, France 222, scattering 36 This evening the programme will be as follows

First, John Conners in his Irish jigs and clog dances

Second J. Rutherford Faulkner, dramatic readings and impersonations.

Third, Grand trial clog dance between Messrs Conners and Lynch

The sale of fancy articles continues good, but there are many left An excellent table is spread each evening which is well patronized

Sheriff Becker arrested a man last night, whose name we did not learn, for stealing an overcoat at Walker s billiard hall yesterday afternoon, There are several other charges against him of petty thieving, the whole of which he will answer to before Judge Smith this morning

The meeting of the Matt France Hose Company No 1 is postponed from this evening until next Friday evening.

CHRISTMAS.

Some Interesting Points of History Concerning the Festival.

How the Holiday was Celebrated in this City.

Eighteen hundred and seventy-eight years ago there was born a man whom angels rejoiced and sang over and whom generation after generation, up to the present time, have delighted to worship The great adoration that was shown this man, caused his birthday to be named from him, and from the particular church service which is often celebrated at that time Christ mass In the earlier days of Christianity it was one of the most moveable of Christian festive days, often confounded with Epiphany, and celebrated by the eastern churches in the months of April and May. In the fourth century the urgency of Saint Cyril of Jerusalem obtained from Pope Julius I an order for an investigation to be made concerning the day of Christ s nativity. The result of inquiry by the theologians of the east and west was an agreement upon the 25th of December, and every year since the festival has occurred on that day. It has also been a common tradition that Christ was born about the middle of the night, and for this reason it is celebrated in Catholic countries by three masses, one at midnight, the second at early dawn, and the third in the morning. This custom has been in vogue since the sixth century

The custom of singing canticles at Christmas, carols, as they are called, dates from the time when common people ceased to understand Latin In the Protestant districts of Germany and the north of Europe, Christmas is often called the "Children s Festival," and Christ as eve is devoted to giving presents, especially between parents and children and brothers and sisters We believe the custom of hanging presents on a tree originated in Germany, where it is done to a much greater extent than in this country.

The Christmas celebrations in England and the United States have lost their primitive boisterous character, the carols are nearly all gone by, and family reunions and evergreen trimmings are nearly all that remain of the various rough amusements which used to mark the festival It has been made a legal holiday in several of the states. Santa Claus (St Nicholas), originally introduced by the Dutch settlers of New York, is the American representative of the German Knecht Rupert. Notwithstanding the modifications that have been made in its observance, it is probably the most enjoyable holiday that is celebrated It is looked forward to by all classes, rich and poor, old and young, with the greatest expectancy

Although a quiet little burgh, Colorado Springs celebrated the festival with much enthusiasm. On Christmas eve various Sunday schools of the city enjoyed the delights of a Christmas tree, mention of which we have already made On Christmas morning services were held at Grace church, at which time the rector, Rev. J. F Walker, preached a most excellent Christmas discourse and the singing by the choir was unusually fine None of the other churches we believe held services, but in every family we presume the holiday was duly observed and celebrated by the giving of presents, and the Christmas dinner

A pleasant event took place at the residence of Mr. G S Barnes, the popular hardware merchant. He has a very happy custom of drawing about him, upon such holidays, his employes, with whom he is associated in his business, and with all business laid aside, the day is given up to merriment and good cheer Upon this occasion, as upon others that we know of, a sumptuous repast was provided, and the table was surrounded with as jolly a company as one could find

At the close of the meal one of the gentlemen arose and in behalf of the employees thanked the host and hostess for the liberal recognition of their services, and trusted that they might both be spared to enjoy many Christmas days Mrs Barnes responded in brief by saying that Mr. Barnes fully appreciated the worth of his employes, and it gave him great pleasure to make their Christmas a merry one

Probably nowhere in Colorado Springs was Christmas celebrated with more enjoyment than at the Deaf-Mute institute. Preparations were made for Santa Claus' early-morning visit by each pupil hanging up a stocking, which were all well filled with choice candies and nuts. On the afternoon of Christmas all the inmates of the institution, together with Prof. Ralstin and family, assembled in the parlor, where a very handsome tree had been prepared A great many presents had been sent by the parents of the pupils, and a number of the merchants of the city donated liberally to the enterprise. There were presents for all

There were probably many more of such gatherings which we did not learn of, and throughout the city enjoyment prevailed Several social parties took place in the evening, but none of any public importance The city was unusually quiet, most of the business houses being closed and the day given up to general enjoyment While the disagreeable wind which prevailed prevented all thought of outdoor sports, we have no doubt but what ample compensation was had indoors, and trust that all of our readers had a merry Christmas.

SUICIDE.

John Bertha, the Mexican Horse Thief, the Victim

He Hangs Himself in His Cell on Christmas Night.

The Manner in Which it was done Coroner's Inquest, etc.

At 7 o'clock yesterday morning when Jailor Clark drew the bolts of Ward No 2 at the county jail, to enable the prisoners to come into the corridor for their breakfast, the door of the cell occupied by John Bertha, the Mexican horse thief, was not opened as usual, and upon calling to him Clark received no reply Instructing one of the other prisoners to open the door, Bertha was found lying upon the floor dead A rope made from strips of toweling and blankets was around his neck, the end of which was fastened to the side of the iron bunk, some four feet from the floor. His head hung suspended about a foot from the floor and in this way he had strangled himself to death.

The coroner was notified at once and a jury, consisting of A F. Goodrich, J. F. Sprague, Matt France, J K Clark, L. S, Hummiston and N Hodgman, was impaneled and the coroner proceeded to hold the inquest

J E. Clark was sworn and testified that for two or three days past the prisoner had been talking considerably about his trial wanting to know when it was to take place, and when he had been told, he pointed to his neck to indicate hanging. Clark supposed at the time that he asked whether or not he would be hung, and told him no But he now suppos[es] that the Mexican meant that he would hang himself At 9 o'clock on Wednesday evening he was heard by a prisoner in the adjoining cell to make considerable noise, coughing, etc. The prisoner called to him several times asking him what he was doing. He finally spoke and said he was doing nothing. That was the last heard of him until yesterday morning, when he was found as before described, In accordance with the above facts the jury rendered a verdict that deceased came to his death by hanging himself in his cell at the county jail of El Paso county, Colorado, with a rope made from a towel and a blanket.

He will be remembered as the Mexican who stole Rev J. F Walker s horse and carriage from in front of the Hodgman block on the evening of November 12th He was captured in Pueblo on the 14th and brought to this city and lodged in jail on the 15th of the month His examination resulted in his being bound over to await the action of the grand jury, but he took his case in his own hands and now our county is minus one "Greaser The body was taken in charge by Undertaker Westerfield and interred in the Potter s field.

There is another 'Jeff at Tribe & Jefferay s store, and long Jeff set little Jeff to counting the articles on hand for Christmas presents. When he had got up to a million there was no breath left in him, and so he was placed on the shelf among the rest of the toys. *Leadville Reveille.*

Real Estate Transfers.

W. R Crowley to J H Pullen: S e ¼ of n w ¼ and n e 1 4 of s w 1 4 of sec 8, town p 13 s of range 65 w $ 250

A R Grover to S. Sessler S e 1 4 of n e 1 4 of sec 34, town'p 21 south of range 59 w 154

L J and J M Dickey to D W. Robbins Lot 1 in block 113, in the city of Colorado Springs 1,000

Charles Walker and Lucy Walker to Colorado Springs Co. Commencing at a point 50 feet s of n w corner of lot 2, in block 13 in addition 1 of the city of Colorado Springs, thence south 50 feet, thence west 190 feet to the place of beginning, being portion of lot 2, in block 13 of addition 1, to the Colorado Springs 300

A J Benedict to Edwin S Love Lots 3, 4, 5 and 30, in block 198, in the town of Colorado Springs, 125

Jacob Seymore of New Mexico to Daniel Troy of New Mexico N e quarter of n w 1 4 of sec 20, in town'p 16 s of range 65, w of 6th principal meridian, and containing 40 acres, government survey, 100

C. B Kountze and W B. Berger to Richard Gaines S e 1 4 of n e 1 4 section 10, in township 15, s of range 66 west, containing 40 acres, government survey, 200

John Wolfe to T F Johnson S e 1 4 of n w 1 4 and e ½ of s w 1 4 and n w 1 4 of s w 1 4 of section 25, town'p 14, range 67, being 160 acres, U. S., 2,430

NOTICE.

The National Hotel will hereafter furnish day board for $6 per week. and room and board from $10 to $12 per week.

186tf FRANK QUEREAU, Proprietor.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Dec 7, 1878.

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